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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Assistant Commissioner:

In the matter of the above-identified application for United States Letters Patent, kindly  
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In the Claims

Kindly enter the following new claims:

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A code-driven front-end computer software method for collecting data for a computerized  
medical billing system from a health care provider at a point of care comprising:  
prompting for a procedure code to be input into the computerized system through a user  
interface;

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